

Master of Science in Exercise Science and Sport Studies Concentration in Sport Administration



Program Description

Graduate students can now engage in advanced study in the general field of exercise science and sport studies, and enhance their proficiency in sport administration. The concentration is designed to cultivate the knowledge and skills needed to work in various facets of the sport industry.

Students will benefit from a strong core in Sport Administration, with options to take additional coursework in Athletic Administration (for those seeking the Supervisory Certificate), Coaching, and Sport Business. An internship or research project is the program's culminating experience. Graduates can pursue careers as directors of athletics in interscholastic sport, coaches, or managers for professional teams (sales, marketing, facilities, event coordinator, guest relations), or even take on additional, advanced graduate study.

Classes are typically held in the evening. Many courses are offered in a hybrid format in which some of the class meetings take place in the classroom while the remaining class sessions are conducted online. In-person class sessions are held in fully mediated classrooms in University Hall.

Admission Requirements

All applicants must meet the basic admission requirements for graduate study at Montclair State University. There are no prerequisites for the Sport Administration concentration.

Applications are reviewed on a rolling admission basis with interested candidates submitting an online application, statement of objectives (essay), undergraduate transcripts, two letters of recommendation, and application fee. Completion of the GRE is not required for this program.

**For more
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About Montclair State University

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Curriculum Guide for the Sport Administration Concentration

Required Core Coursework

6-9 Credit Hours

PEMJ 502	Methods of Inquiry and Analysis	3
Capstone Experience – Select one of the following options:		
Option A:	PEMJ 594 Internship in Sport and Exercise Science	3
Option B:	PEMJ 505 Research Design and	3
	PEMJ 603 Research Project	3

Required Concentration Coursework

12 Credit Hours

SPAD 508	Management and Supervision in Sport	3
SPAD 510	Legal Aspects of Sport	3
SPAD 512	Facility Management in Sport	1.5
SPAD 514	Sport Marketing and Public Relations	3
SPAD 515	Sport Finance	1.5

Area of Specialization

Select one of the following areas of specialization.

9 Credit Hours

Athletic Administration

ELAD 540 Differentiated Supervision
ELAD 635 Curric, Instru, & Assessment
ELAD 680 Leading Curric Change

Coaching

SPAD 547 Adv Coach Tech
SPAD 557 Motor Behavior
SPAD 559 Sport & Ex Psych

Sport Business

SPAD 525 Sport Media + 6 credits in Communication, Management, or Marketing

Graduate Electives

3-6 Credit Hours

Select 6 credits of graduate electives if choosing Capstone Option A, 3 credits if choosing Capstone Option B.

EXSC 558	Seminar in Exercise and Sport Science	1
SPAD 525	Sport Media and Technology	3
SPAD 547	Advanced Coaching Techniques	3
SPAD 552	Seminar in Current Challenges in Sport	3
SPAD 557	Motor Behavior in Youth	3
SPAD 559	Applied Sport and Exercise Psychology	3
SPAD 575	Sport and Society	3
SPAD 580	Independent Study in Sport Administration	1-3

Total Credits

33